



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q65448

Hiroshi TANAKA, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/910,836

Group Art Unit: 2173

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Filed: July 24, 2001

For: SYSTEM, METHOD AND RECORDING MEDIUM FOR MEDICAL IMAGE MANAGEMENT

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c)**

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Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 20, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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**EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER**

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Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c) is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

|             | After<br>Amendment | Highest No.<br>Previously Paid<br>For |  |
|-------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| All Claims  | <u>29</u>          | <u>28</u>                             | = <u>1</u> X <u>\$50.00</u> = <u>\$50.00</u> |
| Independent | <u>1</u>           | <u>1</u>                              | = <u>0</u> X <u>\$200.00</u> = <u>\$0.00</u> |
|             |                    |                                       | <b>TOTAL</b> = <u><b>\$50.00</b></u>         |

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A check for the statutory fee of \$50.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

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